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#### **E-FILING**

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RE: Sprint Communications Company, L.P. – Arbitration Consolidation

Brookings/Swiftel TC 06-176

GPGN File No. 8509-060584

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Attached please find Sprint's Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony and attachments of Randy G. Farrar, both the confidential version and public version. Also enclosed is Sprint's Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony and attachments of James Burg. By copy of same, opposing counsel have been served.

Please note that information in Mr. Farrar's confidential version is confidential under A.R.S.D. 20:10:1:39(4) and (5) and because it contains information Swiftel designated as confidential. Because of this, Sprint requests confidential treatment of that testimony pursuant to A.R.S.D. 20:10:01:41 and that the material be held confidential for ten years and then destroyed. This information is confidential as the information is internal and proprietary, can be used adversely by competitors, and the development and financial planning constitutes trade secrets as recognized by law. The confidential material is also protected under the Commission's Protective Order dated December 20, 2006 in this matter. If there are any inquiries as to the confidential treatment, I may be contacted at the above address.

If you have any questions or desire any further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Talbot J. Wieczorek

TJW:klw Enclosure

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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

## OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

In the Matter of the Petition of Sprint	)	
Communications Company L.P. for	)	DOCKET TC06-176
Arbitration Pursuant to the	)	
Telecommunication Act of 1996 to	)	
Resolve Issues Relating to an	)	
Interconnection Agreement with	)	
Brookings Municipal Utilities d/b/a	)	
Swiftel Communications	)	

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2007, I served a true and correct copy of **Sprint's Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony & Exhibits** of Randy G. Farrar and James Burt in the above-entitled matter, by email and U.S. Mail to:

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